## **Belle of the Boulevard**

## **Dashboard Confessional**

Down in a local bar out on the Boulevard The sound of an old guitar Is saving you from sinking It's a long way down, it's a long way

Back like you never broke, you tell a dirty joke
He touches your leg and thinks he's getting close
For now you let him
Just this once, just for now, and just like that it's over

Don't turn away, dry your eyes, dry your eyes Don't be afraid, but keep it all inside, all inside When you fall apart, dry your eyes, dry your eyes Life is always hard for the Belle of the Boulevard

In all your silver rings, in all your silken things
That song you softly sing
Is keeping you from breaking
It's a long way down, it's a long way

Back here you never lost, you shake the shivers off You take a drink to get your courage up Can you believe it? Just this once, just for now, and just like that it's over

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Please hold on, it's alright Please hold on, it's alright Please hold on

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Don't be afraid, but keep it all inside, all inside
When you fall apart, dry your eyes, dry your eyes
Life is always hard, let me dry your eyes, dry your eyes

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